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Date of mailing (day/month/year) 11 June 2001 (11.06.01)	IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION
Applicant's or agent's file reference P16297 CLV:VK	
International application No. PCT/AU00/00413	International filing date (day/month/year) 08 May 2000 (08.05.00)

## 1. The following indications appeared on record concerning:

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## P. TENT COOPERATION TREATY

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## NOTIFICATION OF ELECTION

(PCT Rule 61.2)

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<b>Date of mailing (day/month/year)</b> 18 December 2000 (18.12.00)	
<b>International application No.</b> PCT/AU00/00413	<b>Applicant's or agent's file reference</b> P16297 CLV:VK
<b>International filing date (day/month/year)</b> 08 May 2000 (08.05.00)	<b>Priority date (day/month/year)</b> 07 May 1999 (07.05.99)
<b>Applicant</b> GILBERT, Robert, William et al	

1. The designated Office is hereby notified of its election made:

☒ in the demand filed with the International Preliminary Examining Authority on:  
 04 December 2000 (04.12.00)

☐ in a notice effecting later election filed with the International Bureau on:  
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2. The election ☒ was  
☐ was not

made before the expiration of 19 months from the priority date or, where Rule 32 applies, within the time limit under Rule 32.2(b).

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## INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No.  
PCT/AU00/00413

## A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

Int. Cl. B29C 45/14, 45/16, 51/32, 69/00

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

## B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)  
B29C 45/14, 45/16, 51/32

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)  
WPAT: IPC as above and cut+ or trim+ or shear+ or slic+  
JAPIO: As above

## C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	Derwent abstract accession no. 98-488937/42, Class A32, JP 10211632A (Trinity Ind Corp) 11 August 1998	1-18
X	Derwent abstract accession no. 85-314739/50, Class A32, JP 60220719 A (Toyota Jidosha KK) 5 November 1985	1-18
X	Derwent abstract accession no. 88-075130/11, Class A32, JP 63030220 A (Nihon Plast KK) 8 February 1988	1-18

☒ Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C ☒ See patent family annex

## \* Special categories of cited documents:

"A" document defining the general state of the art which is not considered to be of particular relevance	"T" later document published after the international filing date or priority date and not in conflict with the application but cited to understand the principle or theory underlying the invention
"E" earlier application or patent but published on or after the international filing date	"X" document of particular relevance: the claimed invention cannot be considered novel or cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is taken alone
"I" document which may throw doubts on priority claim(s) or which is cited to establish the publication date of another citation or other special reason (as specified)	"Y" document of particular relevance: the claimed invention cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is combined with one or more other such documents, such combination being obvious to a person skilled in the art
"O" document referring to an oral disclosure, use, exhibition or other means	"Z" document member of the same patent family
"P" document published prior to the international filing date but later than the priority date claimed	

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13 June 2000Date of mailing of the international search report  
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X	Derwent abstract Accession No 96-337839/34, Class A32, JP 08156015 A (Takashimaya Hihatsu Kogyo KK) 18 June 1996	1-18
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X	Derwent abstract Accession No. 97-358458/33, Class A32, JP 09150432A (Dainippon Printing Co Ltd) 10 June 1997	1-18

**INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT**  
Information on patent family membersInternational application No.  
**PCT/AU00/00413**

This Annex lists the known "A" publication level patent family members relating to the patent documents cited in the above-mentioned international search report. The Australian Patent Office is in no way liable for these particulars which are merely given for the purpose of information.

Patent Document Cited in Search Report		Patent Family Member
JP	10211632	NONE
JP	60220719	NONE
JP	63030220	NONE
JP	8156015	NONE
JP	8174601	NONE
JP	9150432	NONE
END OF ANNEX		

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**INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT**  
(PCT Article 36 and Rule 70)

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Applicant's or agent's file reference <b>p16297</b>	<b>FOR FURTHER ACTION</b>	See Notification of Transmittal of International Preliminary Examination Report (Form PCT/IPEA/416).
International Application No. <b>PCT/AU00/00413</b>	International Filing Date ( <i>day/month/year</i> ) <b>8 May 2000</b>	Priority Date ( <i>day/month/year</i> ) <b>7 May 1999</b>
International Patent Classification (IPC) or national classification and IPC  <b>Int. Cl. <sup>7</sup> B29C 45/14, 45/16, 51/32</b>		
Applicant  <b>BRITAX RAINSFORDS PTY LTD et al</b>		

1.	This international preliminary examination report has been prepared by this International Preliminary Examining Authority and is transmitted to the applicant according to Article 36.
2.	This REPORT consists of a total of <b>3</b> sheets, including this cover sheet.  <input type="checkbox"/> This report is also accompanied by ANNEXES, i.e., sheets of the description, claims and/or drawings which have been amended and are the basis for this report and/or sheets containing rectifications made before this Authority (see Rule 70.16 and Section 607 of the Administrative Instructions under the PCT).  These annexes consist of a total of    sheet(s).
3.	This report contains indications relating to the following items:  I <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basis of the report II <input type="checkbox"/> Priority III <input type="checkbox"/> Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability IV <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of unity of invention V <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement VI <input type="checkbox"/> Certain documents cited VII <input type="checkbox"/> Certain defects in the international application VIII <input type="checkbox"/> Certain observations on the international application

Date of submission of the demand <b>4 December 2000</b>	Date of completion of the report <b>11 April 2001</b>
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**I. Basis of the report**

1. With regard to the **elements** of the international application:\*
- ☒ the international application as originally filed.
- ☐ the description,        pages , as originally filed,  
   pages , filed with the demand,  
   pages , received on    with the letter of
- ☐ the claims,                pages , as originally filed,  
   pages , as amended (together with any statement) under Article 19,  
   pages , filed with the demand,  
   pages , received on    with the letter of
- ☐ the drawings,            pages , as originally filed,  
   pages , filed with the demand,  
   pages , received on    with the letter of
- ☐ the sequence listing part of the description:  
   pages , as originally filed  
   pages , filed with the demand  
   pages , received on    with the letter of
2. With regard to the **language**, all the elements marked above were available or furnished to this Authority in the language in which the international application was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.  
These elements were available or furnished to this Authority in the following language which is:
- ☐ the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international search (under Rule 23.1(b)).
- ☐ the language of publication of the international application (under Rule 48.3(b)).
- ☐ the language of the translation furnished for the purposes of international preliminary examination (under Rules 55.2 and/or 55.3).
3. With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application, was on the basis of the sequence listing:
- ☐ contained in the international application in written form.
- ☐ filed together with the international application in computer readable form.
- ☐ furnished subsequently to this Authority in written form.
- ☐ furnished subsequently to this Authority in computer readable form.
- ☐ The statement that the subsequently furnished written sequence listing does not go beyond the disclosure in the international application as filed has been furnished.
- ☐ The statement that the information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing has been furnished
4. ☐ The amendments have resulted in the cancellation of:
- ☐ the description,        pages
- ☐ the claims,                Nos.
- ☐ the drawings,            sheets/fig.
5. ☐ This report has been established as if (some of) the amendments had not been made, since they have been considered to go beyond the disclosure as filed, as indicated in the Supplemental Box (Rule 70.2(c)).\*\*

\* Replacement sheets which have been furnished to the receiving Office in response to an invitation under Article 14 are referred to in this report as "originally filed" and are not annexed to this report since they do not contain amendments (Rules 70.16 and 70.17).

\*\* Any replacement sheet containing such amendments must be referred to under item 1 and annexed to this report

**V. Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement****1. Statement**

Novelty (N)	Claims	YES
	Claims 1-18	NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	YES
	Claims 1-18	NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims 1-18	YES
	Claims	NO

**2. Citations and explanations (Rule 70.7)**Citations

- (a) Derwent Abstract Accession No. 98-488937/42, Class A32, JP 10211632 A (TRINITY IND CORP) 11 August 1998
- (b) Derwent Abstract Accession No. 85-314739/50, Class A32, JP 60220719 A (TOYOTA JIDOSHA KK) 5 November 1985
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Novelty & Inventive StepClaims 1-18

Citations (a)-(f) disclose all of the features of these claims.